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SUBJ: FINLAND'S GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES

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1. IN RESPONSE REFTEL, THE FOLLOWING FIGURES FOR 1972:

A. TOTAL FINNISH IMPORTS FROM GSP BENEFICIARIES - 825.3 MILLION
FMK.

B. VALUE OF DUTY-FREE IMPORTS FROM DEVELOPING COUNTRIES 288.8
MILLION FMK. VALUE OF DUTIABLE IMPORTS FROM DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
536.5 MILLION FMK.

C. OF DUTIABLE IMPORTS, VALUE OF NON PREFERENTIAL IMPORTS: 501.4
MILLION FMK. OF DUTIABLE IMPORTS, VALUE OF PREFERENTIAL IMPORTS:
35.1 MILLION FMK. AMOUNT ACTUALLY GRANTED DUTY FREE ENTRY: 11.4
MILLION FMK.

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2. PRINCIPAL BENEFICIARIES: BRAZIL 41 PERCENT, YUGOSLAVIA 25.5 PERCENT, PHILIPPINES 8.3 PERCENT, MEXICO 6.7 PERCENT, IRAN 6.1 PERCENT, ARGENTINA 4.5 PERCENT.

3. PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES INVOLVED: TOBACCO 40.0 PERCENT, ALUMINUM SHEETS 19.4 PERCENT, PILE FABRICS 10.4 PERCENT, KNOTTED CARPETS 6.9 PERCENT, LEATHER 6.8 PERCENT, DRIED FRUIT 4.3 PERCENT, PRE-SERVED FISH 2.0 PERCENT.

4. SAFEGUARD CLAUSE HAS NOT BEEN INVOKED. SYSTEM CAME INTO EFFECT IN 1972; ONLY 36 OUT OF THE 94 ELIGIBLE COUNTRIES HAVE SUBMITTED THE NECESSARY INFORMATION TO BENEFIT; ONLY 14 OF THOSE ACTUALLY DELIVERED GOODS IN 1972.

5. MORE DETAILED STATISTICS BEING SENT BY POUCH.
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